

# THE SPOUT SPRING TIMES.

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We failed to get a report of Grant Elkins' sale in time for publication last week. The following is a report furnished us by W. E. Heflin, clerk of the sale: 1 yoke plain oxen, \$59.00; 3 600 lb., \$17.50 per head; 1 cow, \$22.50; horses, from \$10. to \$35. per head; 1 pair 3-year old mules, \$99.00; 1 bunch of 75-lb. shoats brought 3cts.; 1 bunch, weight about 35 lbs., \$1.15 per head; corn in crib sold at from \$1.40 to \$1.65 per barrel; corn fodder, 7 cents per shock. H. R. Watts, of Winchester, was the auctioneer.

#### SPECIAL SESSION.

A State officer has said that Governor Bradley had decided to call a session of the Legislature for March 8, and that the call would be issued Feb. 16. The Governor still refuses to talk.

John Rowland, a negro farm hand, criminally assaulted the five year old daughter of John Alcock Monday, near Mayfield. The wretch is yet at large, and maddened citizens are scouring the country in search for him.

You should take advantage of our present low clubbing rate with the Enquirer. 65 cts. for both 1 yr.

## No Mistake

The place to buy the most goods for little money is of CASH DEALERS

W. R. CASSIDY

Clay City, Ky.,

Is a cash dealer, and thereby saves his customers MANY DOLLARS each year.

## CLOAKS AND CAPES.

I have an immense stock of Ladies Capes and Cloaks that I bought at WAY LOW DOWN prices, and am selling them the same way.

## CLOTHING.

I have a Large Stock of the LATEST STYLE suits, and can save customers from \$1. to \$5. on a suit.

## GENERAL MERCHANDISE

In fact, I carry a Complete line of General Merchandise, and will save you big money when you trade at my store.

When in Clay City, it will pay you to call at

**CASSIDY'S.**

# THE TIMES.

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**SPOUT SPRING, KY.**  
Saturday, Feb. 6, 1897.

Our motto: A home-made paper.

## LOCAL BREVITES.

There is plenty of mud in the roads.

T. H. Barker, of Irvine, was in town Monday.

One by one, they are moving back to Estill.

Gip Ahney of Furnace was here Wednesday.

Pearl Tipton of Irvine was in town Wednesday.

Thomas McKinney is in Montgomery county on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Tipton visited at Irvine yesterday.

William Morris Embes is very low with fever at his home near town.

Enquire and Times 65 cents. This offer will expire in two weeks.

The candidates are beginning to stir pretty lively in this county.

Hood and John Hamilton, of Winchester, were in town yesterday.

Samuel Embes, who moved to Clark county two years ago moved back yesterday.

S. Stephens, post-master at Iron Mound, was transacting business in town yesterday.

Tuesday was ground hog day, and according to the old sign, we will have an early spring.

The Republicans of Estill county will hold a primary election to elect candidates for the various county offices March 12.

J. W. McKinney and family are the guests of his mother at this place. He has moved to the Cottage Furnace property this week.

Marion McKinney happened to a very painful accident last Saturday. While skating on the ice he slipped up and fell, severely spraining his ankle.

Since the rain has changed the streets of our pretty little village to all mud, we think it time for our enterprising citizens to take steps to provide more side-walks.

Chairman, W. G. Patrick, has called a Mass Convention of the People's Party to meet in the Court House in Irvine, Monday, Feb 27, to select candidates for the various County offices.

While Mrs. Patrick was out calling on friends in town last Saturday evening, their house caught fire and was making to destruction when Mr. Patrick happened to go into the house and made the discovery. Mrs. Patrick, before going out hung a rug which was damp, to the fire to dry; the rug caught fire and burnt; a right smart hole was burned in the floor, and a chair was burned, which covers the damage.

Tommy Crow was in town yesterday buying household supplies. When he stopped in our office for a civil chat he told us he had at last got him a house-keeper, and that he wanted to subscribe for the Times to brighten his home. At once we arose and extended congratulations and told him we were glad to learn of his good luck. We then asked him whom he had married and when he got married, when he told us that he and his friend Tom Snowden were just batching, and that he was yet unmarried.

## NOTICE.

All persons owing me are requested to settle same at once as we are needing the use of the money.

J. E. Burgher, Jr.

The Alabama Legislature has passed an act repealing the Australian ballot system of voting, and restores the old *viva voce* mode.

Lancaster claims the youngest editor and publisher in the state—John Paul Muller, aged 11 years. He publishes a monthly.

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A lumber-yard, one general store and bank were burned at Pleasureville on Wednesday morning, which entailed a loss of \$13,000.

#### CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Baptist—Rev. Geo. W. McIntosh, pastor; services every first Saturday and Sunday.

M. E. Church South—Rev. S. M. Carrier pastor; services on third Saturday night and Sunday morning.

M. E. Church—Rev. Frank Grider, pastor; services at Kimbrell's chapel first Sunday.

#### THE MARKET.

The following are prices quoted by a produce dealer of this place.

Spoutspring, Ky., Feb.. 6:	
Steaks . . . . .	75 to \$1.20
Beef, hides . . . . .	3
Beeswax. . . . .	20
Corn . . . . .	25
Ducks . . . . .	6
Eggs . . . . .	7
Fonthair . . . . .	80
Ginseng . . . . .	\$2.00

Subscribe for The Times, only 30c. a year.

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

##### DARLINGSVILLE.

Mondays rain has swollen the river considerably,

John Gravett, of Clark county, was here last week on business.

Miss Alma Seay began a subscription school at Snow Creek Monday

John Trossell moved into the house with his sister. Mr. Liza Burgher, Sunday.

J. G. Cole has sold his farm near this place to Russell Mountz for \$3,050.

Died, near here, the infant child of Ben Curtis, Jan. 29th, aged about 3 months.

##### VAUGHN'S MILL.

Charles Walters came up from Winchester Saturday.

A. P. Bush will move to the house vacated by John Sons.

Rev. French, of Stanton, will preach at this place Sunday.

John Sons has moved to J. W. Vaughn's farm on the upper end of the creek.

Henry Tipton came up Friday from Lexington on a visit to his parents, and returned on Monday.

Messrs. Ray McKinney, E. G. Wills, I. G. Jackson, Wm. Shimfessell, Frank Dannel and Misses Mahalie Clark, Bettie Jackson, Ella and Lucy Clark were the guests of Misses Naomia and Netta Samis Sunday.

##### COLLEGE HILL.

Dr. R. B. Combs is all smiles—it is a boy.

G. F. Edwards is visiting relatives in Estill this week.

Born—To the wife of B. F. Wilson, the 1st inst., a fine boy, who was christened McKinley.

H. K. Mellon will move to the A. G. Sexton farm in the College Hill Bend of the Kentucky river.

Richmond court was well attended. Business, except the saloon trade, was very dull. If Richmond had local option, other branches of industry would flourish.

C. G. Webber sold to Misses Lucy and Ida Norris a beautiful lot on Main Street at about 400 per cent less than its real value. Mr. Webber is an unmarried man of about forty-five summers, and we believe had "An eye" to business in offering to the young ladies such an inducement to continue their millinery store in our town.

J. E. Burgher, Jr., will sell you more Goods for little money than any firm in Estill county.

**Kentucky News.**

Hickman Jewell, of Pool, aged 17, weighs 266 pounds.

Geo. Schlesser was killed at Owensboro Sunday by a fast train.

Baley Edson shot Lovell Whitesides to death at Franklin.

Athens, Fayette county, had a \$5,000 fire the first of the week.

A company with \$30,000 capital has been incorporated at Danville for the manufacture of hemp.

Miss Nesbit, daughter of W. C. P. Breckinridge, has been admitted to practice law before the Court of Appeals.

The wife of Willis Cahier, a Mason county farmer was burned to death Monday by her dress catching fire from an open grate.

A West Virginia oil inspector has found an abundance of oil about two miles from Gampton. He will shortly put a large force of hands to sinking wells.

Michael Paton was instantly killed while on his return home from Mt. Sterling with a load of coal. He lost control of his horses, and fell out, his wagon run over his neck, which killed him instantly.

A Clark county farmer owns a lamb which has two heads, tails, two sets of intestines, etc., it has four

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**

Owing to my limited capital I am compelled to make my terms CASH or its equivalent. I extend thanks to my former customers for their patronage of the past and solicit a continuance of same on a Cash basis. As heretofore, I will continue to keep the Best Goods at the Lowest Prices.

Respectfully,

**J. E. BURGHER.**

  
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**THE TIMES****◎ OFFICE ◎****ON SHORT NOTICE**

feet and a fifth leg is on its back.

Deputy sheriff Patrick of Johnson county, shot and probably fatally wounded James Hiney in a fight over a woman near Hendrix.

Madisonville suffered a fire Sunday night; loss about \$75,000; about \$25,000 insurance. The fire originated in Ray's Opera house, where comedy company had given a performance earlier in the evening.

**FREE COLUMN.**

In this column we will insert an advertisement of three lines free to any of our subscribers.

**FOR SALE—100 bushels of slackened lime at \$1 1/2 c per bu.**  
David Blanton.

Four houses were burned at Frankfort Wednesday night, entailing a loss of \$4,000; partially insured.

The City Council of Mt. Sterling has fixed the license for fire insurance companies at \$15.00, and life insurance companies at \$50.00.

Ed Mastin and Thomas Adams, who was arrested charged with assaulting Thomas Wade, were tried before Sqnire Thomas, of Clark county Thursday and was acquitted.

**Blacksmithing.**

All kinds of blacksmithing neatly and cheaply done at my shop

**Thos. McKinney.**  
SPOUTSPRING, KY

**J. L. KING,**

**INDIAN FIELD, KY.,**

will be in

**SPOUTSPRING**

On Wednesday of each week after all kinds of produce. Save your produce for me. I pay the highest market price for same in CASH.